Automated Commercial Environment—Requirements Recommendation

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Requirement				
Census Override Reason Code				
Census will extract in	mport statistics from entry summary data.			
If there are overrideable Census error conditions in an entry summary line item, a Census Override Reason Code must be reported. A draft list of Census Override Reason Codes is appended.				
NEXT STEPS: Census is currently reviewing its requirements for the proposed Override Reason Code.				
Business Need Provides an automated mechanism by which entry summary filers can provide an explanation for reporting data which falls outside Census statistical limits.				
Technical Need				
A single electronic edit response message reflecting the results of all agencies' edits will be returned.				
Benefits				
Reduces rejection and correction of entry summary data by verifiers.				
Risks				
Related Subcommittees				
Entry				
Priority: Critical	☐ High ☐ Medium X Low ☐			
Customs Use Only Approved □ Not Approved □ Further Evaluation Required □				

CODE LIST 2.04

Census Override Codes

Census Override Codes	<u>Description</u>	<u>Comments</u>
01	Exception to Embargo	This commodity is exempt from the embargo of trade with this country.
02	Timing of Embargo	This shipment was made before or after the trade embargo with this country.
03	Country Verified as Correct	This country is currently producing or mining this particular commodity.
04	Prototype	References new product being developed that may have a higher cost reflecting new processes, materials or other costs involved in the production of the article by the manufacturer.
05	Sample	Small quantity of product, usually for product evaluation or selection.
06	Assist	An □assist□ has been added to the value of the imported merchandise.

07	One-of-a-kind	The imported article is unique or the only one of its kind available.
08	Precision Made	The imported article is of a higher quality or is designed to perform with greater precision than similar articles.
09	Unique Material	Unique or very rare material was used to create the imported article.
10	Experimental Drug	Article reflects the development of the chemical composition.
11	Military Application	The imported article is made to military specifications or intended for military use.
12	Mass Produced	The imported article is produced in large quantities thereby lowering the cost of production.
13	Less Than Perfect	The imported article is of lower quality. It might be factory rejects or seconds.
14	Lower Quality Material	The imported article is made of inexpensive or lower grade materials, not common for this product.
15	Market Conditions	Due to consumer demand and/or supply, the imported article has a higher or lower value than normal for similar articles.

16	Special Handling Required	Unusually high cost was incurred to provide special handling needed for this commodity.
17	Chartered Transportation	Due to consumer demand, special transportation arrangements were made to insure timely delivery.
18	Insurance Costs Very High	Value or nature of shipment required higher than normal insurance.
19	Rush Delivery	Importer paid increased cost for speedy delivery of the article.
20	Weight of Article Heavier Than Normal	This article is made of heavier material than is normally used for similar articles.
21	Weight of Article Lighter Than Normal	This article is made of lighter material than normally used for similar articles.
22	Packaging Heavier Than Normal	The weight of this article is heavier than normal due to packaging.
23	Packaging Lighter Than Normal	The weight of this article is lighter than normal due to packaging.
24	Other	All data elements verified correct as entered. This article can not be placed in any other override category.